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8 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
9 WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON  
10 AT TACOMA

11 DAVID BEACHEM,

12 Plaintiff,

13 v.

14 WASHINGTON STATE DEPARTMENT OF  
CORRECTIONS *et al.*,

15 Defendants.

Case No. C08-5185FDB/JKA

NOTICE REGARDING LETTERS TO  
COURT

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17 This civil rights action has been referred to the undersigned Magistrate Judge pursuant to Title 28  
18 U.S.C. § 636(b)(1)(B). Plaintiff has responded to the court's order to show cause. The court is currently  
19 waiting for return of service documents, the United States Marshals service forms.

20 The court received a letter from plaintiff on April 22, 2008. In this letter plaintiff asks why he  
21 needs to fill out the service forms and states he already filled out the forms. This case was transferred from  
22 the United States District Court for the Eastern District of Washington. When the case arrived here there  
23 were no service forms.

24 Plaintiff next asks why money is being taken from his prison account. When this case was accepted  
25 for filing plaintiff was granted *In Forma Pauperis* status. This means plaintiff has incurred a \$350 dollar  
26 filing fee debt. Under the terms of the Prison Litigation Reform Act money will be taken from the account  
27 until the full \$350 dollars have been collected. This money will be taken even if the case is dismissed.  
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ORDER

1 The remainder of plaintiff's letter addresses current issues that are not properly part of this action.  
2 The court informs plaintiff that the court does not conduct business by letter. The proper procedure for  
3 asking for court action is to file a motion, which must be served on opposing parties or their counsel.  
4 Plaintiff has until May 16, 2008 to return filled out Marshal Service Forms.

5 The Clerk is directed to send plaintiff a copy of this order.

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7 DATED this 5 day of May 2008.

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9 /S/ J. Kelley Arnold  
10 J. Kelley Arnold  
11 United States Magistrate Judge  
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ORDER